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Docket No.: 060188-0707

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
Masayuki ENDO, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: 5344
Application No.: 10/715,433	:	Group Art Unit: 2813
Filed: November 19, 2003	:	Examiner: MITCHELL, James M.
For: PATTERN FORMATION METHOD	:	

PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT
UNDER 37 CFR 1.81

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Sir:

This petition is submitted pursuant to 37 CFR 1.81 in response to a Notice of Abandonment mailed June 22, 2007. The Notice indicates that the application is abandoned because of failure to file a proper reply to the Notice to file Corrected Application Papers mailed on March 21, 2007. However, a Letter Submitting Formal Drawings As Replacement Sheets in response to this Notice was filed on March 30, 2007. Submitted herewith are copies of the Letter and Formal Drawings and the postcard stamped by the Patent and Trademark Office (PTO) to acknowledge that the Response to the Notice of March 21, 2007 was received by the PTO on March 30, 2007.

In view of the foregoing, Applicants respectfully requests a withdrawal of the Notice of Abandonment issued in the instant application, and entry of the Letter Submitting Formal Drawings As Replacement Sheets previously filed on March 30, 2007.

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This Petition To Withdraw The Holding Of Abandonment Under 37 CFR 1.181, is submitted within two months of that Notice and is, therefore, timely, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.181(f) and MPEP 711.03(c).

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

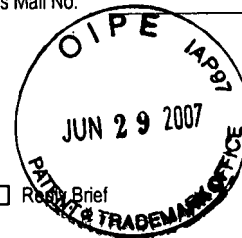
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LETTER SUBMITTING FORMAL DRAWINGS
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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers, Notice of Allowance Mailed (copy attached), dated March 22, 2007, submitted herewith is One (1) sheet of corrected formal drawings comprising Figs. 4A-4D, labeled as Replacement Sheets, in connection with the above referenced application.

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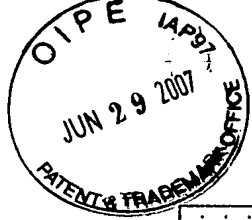


FIG. 4A

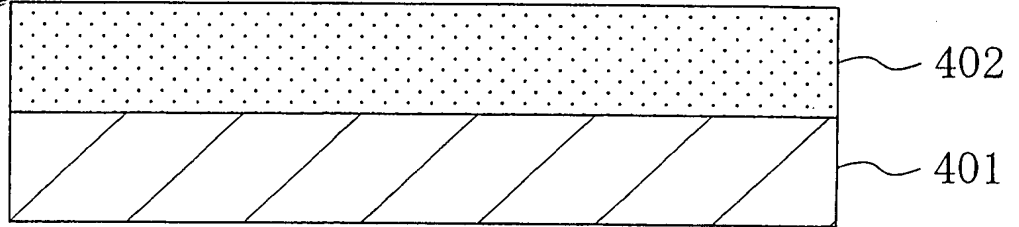


FIG. 4B

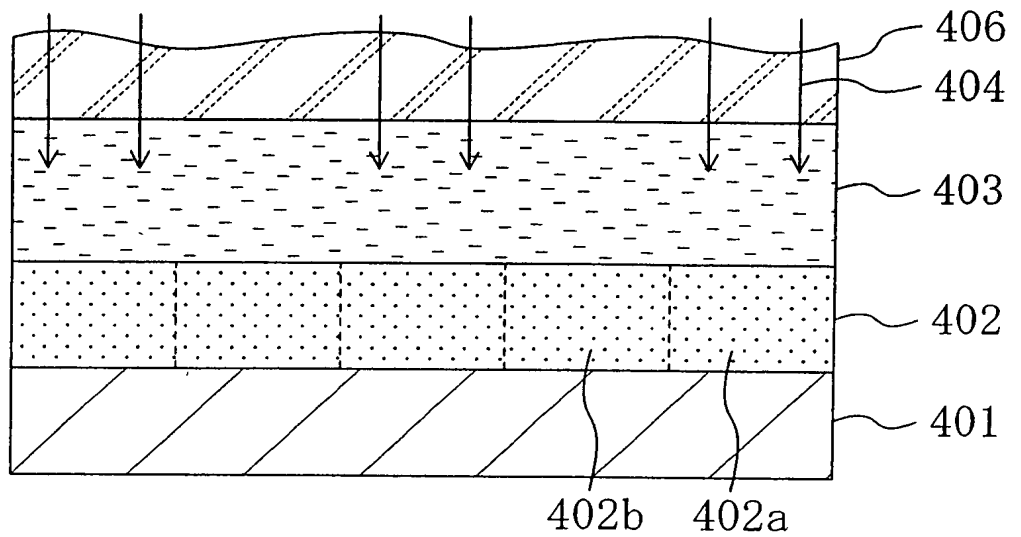


FIG. 4C

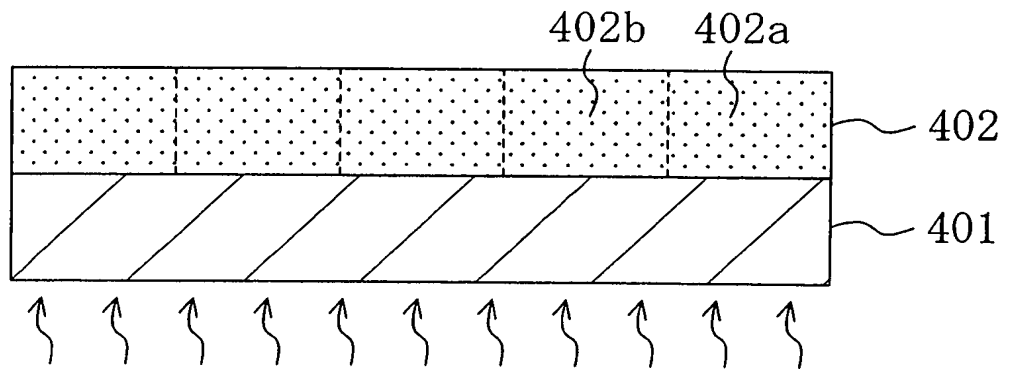


FIG. 4D

